

Claims:

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1. A stationary exercise bicycle comprising:
a frame comprising a front socket, a rear socket, and a down tube
coupling the front socket to the rear socket; and
a deflector coupled to the front socket extending toward the down tube for
preventing damage to the bicycle caused by corrosive sweat falling from a rider.
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2. The stationary exercise bicycle according to claim 1 further
comprising a flywheel casing disposed proximate the down tube, wherein the casing
substantially encapsulates working parts of the bicycle for preventing damage to the
bicycle caused by corrosive sweat falling from a rider.
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3. The stationary exercise bicycle according to claim 1 further
comprising wheels coupled to the frame for ease of portability.
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4. The stationary exercise bicycle according to claim 1 wherein the
down tube is mounted directly to the rear socket.
5. The stationary exercise bicycle according to claim 1 wherein the
down tube is rectangular in shape.
6. The stationary exercise bicycle according to claim 1 wherein the
deflector is a unitary plastic member.

7. The stationary exercise bicycle according to claim 1 wherein the deflector is mounted underneath a front fork triangle extending from the front socket.

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